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In re Application of  
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Application No.: 09/530,818  
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For: IMAGING AGENTS FOR EARLY  
DETECTION AND MONITORING OF  
CARDIOVASCULAR PLAQUE

**DECISION ON  
PETITION  
UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

The petition to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(b) filed 05 May 2000 in the above-captioned application is hereby **GRANTED** as follows:

The appropriate petition fee for a small entity as required by 37 CFR 1.17(m) has been submitted.

All of the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) for revival have been submitted. Applicants did state that "the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional" as required by 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3) at the time of filing this petition.

The request to revive the application abandoned under 35 U.S.C. 371(d) is granted as to the National stage in the United States of America.

The application is being forwarded to the United States Designated/Elected Office for further processing including the issuance of a Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371(c) and 37 CFR 1.495 (Form PCT/DO/ EO/905) to inform applicants that an oath or declaration of the inventors along with the \$65.00 surcharge for filing an oath or

declaration after 30 months must be submitted in order to avoid abandonment of the application as to the national stage in the United States.



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